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Reinhold Schmieding

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For: ALLOGRAFT BONE FOR SYNTHETIC  
WEDGES FOR OSTEOTOMY

AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 5, 2002 (Paper No. 4), please amend the above-identified U.S. Patent application as follows:

In the Claims:

Please rewrite claims 1, 3 and 4 as shown in the Replacement Claims:

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## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

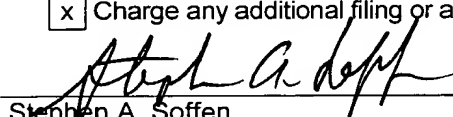
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